French Battleship and 730 Men Lost



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LLOYD GEORGE PLANS TO ARM ALL SHIPS; U.S. PORTS WOULD BE CLOSED TO THEM

NEW YORK, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1916.

TWO ROUMANIAN FORCES CAUGHT IN GERMAN TRAP; 18.000 TAKEN PRISONER

FROM ROUMANIA

forcements-Berlin Asks

Greece to Declare War

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN

Holder of Mortgage, the

Only Bidder.

What is to be the ultimate destiny

GERMAN TROOPS Main Army Is Reported Still in Hurried Retreat Far Beyond Bucharest.

MAY RETIRE 100 MILES.

All of Wallachia Is to Be J Given Up, Says a Despatch From London.

BERLIN, Dec. 8 (by wireless to Sayville) .- The surrender of a force of \$,000 Roumanians in the fighting along the Alt River is announced by the War Office in the official state-

Roumanian troops retreating from the Predeal and Altschanz Passes strongly reinforced, according to adwere cut off by Teutonic forces and vices from Salonica most of them have been captured. In Western Roumania the pursuit is being continued by the Austro-German troops, which yesterday took more of war

The text of the War Office statement

ter the failure of the great relievthe Russians have only undertaken local attacks. Yesterday they several times drove against our lines. on the Ludova and in the Trutus

Front of Field Marshal Mac ken-Our advance against and across the Bucharest-Place h line proceeded so rapidly that the Rumountains, in the Predeal and Altschantz Passes had no chance to retreat in time. On their refirement they encountered German and Austro-Hungarian troops and, being pressed from the north, a majority of them already have been made prisoners.

"Between the mountains and the Danube the pursuit is proceeding. The Ninth Army vesterday took more than 10,000 pri shells

"On the Alt the Rumanian forces cut off in Western Rumania met their inevitable fate. Col. Von. Szive, with Austro-Hungarian and German troops under his command, on Dec. 6 forced them to sucrender. Ten battations, one squadron and aix batteries, numbering 8,000 men, with twenty-six cannon, laid down their arms."

LONDON, Dec. 8 .- The Russo-Loumanian army, with its back to Bucharest, the fallen capital, is retreating precipitately eastward along the entire 125-mile front in Wallachia. The rear guard is fighting a continuous and desperate battle to hold back utes. There was only one bid, \$2,600,the Teutonic pursuers.

It is believed all of Wallachia will be abandoned and that the Russo-Roumanian retreat will not hait until mortgage for \$2,300,000 on the prop- empty bottles. Moldavia has been reached, a retreat erry of at least 100 miles from Bucharest, or Petrograd reports as to the present \$650,000, made no bid. Roumanian statement has been issued of the building or its site, George W. people money, is it not?" since the Teutons won the decisive Hubbell, afforney for the insurance

battle on the Arges River. The first natural line of defense mined until the field for the property gan we've been torpedeed and subnorth of Bucharest would be on the
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line a little shorter. It is thought, however, the retreat- stood ready to give \$1,900,000 over and ing armies cannot really make a above the encumbrances, but that the stand and be reorganized and re-equipped until they reach the lower S2,000,000 bid had "stopped" bim. James Butler, the grocer, was also line of Bralls. Galatz and Focsani.

\$25,000 A YEAR GRAFT PAID OUT BY ONE MILK CO.

Apartment House Janitors Help Boost Food Cost.

Sold to Dealers by State, Witness Testifies.

ON MONASTIR LINE LONDON, Dec. 8.-German troops along the whole Monastir are being trai Park and the Hudson River. His Metropolitan Magazine establishagency expenses are \$10,000 a year ment. milk to janitors.

"Do you distribute good-will of elevator men and others called for cross-examination. occupying strategic positions in first question asked the magistrate laid down partments" asked Counsel George mans are preparing for the inaugura-

Q. I've heard of a payment of \$1,200

PERCLIN. Dec. 8 (by wireless to of clears at Christmax.

River region, were repulsed by the No. We cut it down all we can. Germans and Bulgarians," the War | Q. We have here the statement of "Renewed British one milk company in Brooklyn that meet Miss Gerard" asked Mr. Lockattacks in the Strumn sector also they pay \$25,000 a year, besides \$5,000 wood. worth of free milk, to janitors for "It was about three months necessary worth of free milk, to janitors for Howard was brought into my court PARIS, Dec. 8 - Heavy fighting is their help. Does that shock you?

Three successive counter attacks on down the free milk all we can. the Serbians have been made by Ger- Q. Ultimately that expense comes swered.

non and Bulgarian troops in the down to the consumer? region of Stravina. The War Office A. Well, in a sense, yes

announces that these attacks were | Q. When did you discontinue such payments? A. On Nov. L. Q Oh, when this committee came

in October. Now we've cut the jani- call on Mrs. Thaw. IS SOLD FOR \$2,000,000 tor to 50 cents a quart. We used to give them \$1 or \$1.50 Thomas B. Evans, a superintendent

New York Life Insurance Company, for another milk company, brought in a banch of tickets for receptions, raffles, &c., which he had to buy from cooks, maids, butters, &c., who can Madison Square Carden was sold at make or mar the milk dealer's forauction this afternoon in twelve min- tune.

Mr. Evans said that apartment house janitors, &c., often help milk 50, by the New York Life Insurance dealers by opening their doors an Francis, Manager of Maurice & Wal-Company, already the holder of a hour ahead of time and collecting ton, the dancers, was recalled

"In many cases I have absolutely The estate of J. Pierpont Morgan, refused the demands of chefs, butlers, No intimation is given in the Berlin which held a second mortgage for &c.," said Mr. Evans, "having cor-

tain auxieties in the matter." "It's against the law to give these

company, said could not be deter- nervous start. "Ever since the war bemined until the deed for the property gan we've been torpedoed and sub-

flanked from the north. Then would change Saleroom at No. 14 Vesey sent to Mr. Evans by cooks, who tion. usually wrote "remembering your miles further on. The Jalomitsa line At the conclusion of the anie Mr. generosity in the past I am sending \$10 Men's O'coats& Suits.\$5.95

in regard to the law requiring the

(Continued on Fourteenth Page. BECAUSE IT IS SAFE FOR COLDS her John a Medicire has had 60 years of suc. No alcohol or dangerous drugs.—Advt.

ROOSEVELT CALLED IN CORRIGAN SUIT OVER 'GOD'S MAN'

Vicks Committee Hears How Magistrate Tells Court He Met Sailed From Gibraltar on Nov. "Teddy" Gerard in Evelyn Thaw's Home.

\$5,000 IN FREE MILK, WENT THERE AS FRIEND, NOT HEARD FROM SINCE.

Bad Storage Eggs, Unmarked, Recommended Chas. S. Whit- The Battleship Cost \$6,000,000 man as Counsel to Mrs. Thaw, He Says.

itor's graft. He is in charge of all Howard, publishers and author re- ficers and men the territory between Fifty-ninth and spectively of the novel, "God's Man." One Hundred and Tenth Street, Cen. He was served in his offices in the

was appearing there.

"Hut tell us now who forwarded from Rome to the Wires a Year to a resi estate man to whom met Miss Gerard?" attorney John H. announcement, was damaged seriously

figure if threece declares wereon the wanted us to give them \$1,200 for Evelyn Neshet Thaw," the Magiswanted us to give them \$1,200 for that, but we'd only rive them a box of the apartment and I was going in Sayvilys. "On the Maccionian front Q You don't disagree with the to consult with Mrs. Thaw about last night attacks made by Seroian lestimony of superintendents and troops near Timova, in the Cerna junitors here that they are paid? A. by Harry Thaw." Mayor Bosse's Municipal Market by Harry Thaw."

"When did you visit Mrs Thaw and

in progress on the Macedonian front. A. No. We have been cutting on charges of assault preferred by Miss Gerard," the Magistrate an-

> Magistimie Corrigan asked to be excused that he might call upon Col. Roosevelt and consuit with him as to when Mr. Roosevelt would be able to appear. On the way down in the elehere marked the day of warning? vator Magistrate Corrigan told an Eve-A. Well, we got orders to discontinue ning World reporter how he came to

> > came to me and asked me to call on Mrs. Thaw, as she wanted me to recommend an honest attorney, Magistrate Corrigan said. "She was not my client, but I called as a friend and advised her to get Mr. Whitman now Governor. I believe the papers in the case were turned over to Gov Whitman. That was the extent of that call at the Thaw apartments."

> > Patrick Francis, known as "Jack" "Do you know Evelyn Neshit

> > Thaw?" he was asked. "I do," he replied. Q. How long have you known her?

A About ten years.

hat he could not answer that ques-

The "HUB" Clothing Corner, Bruad way, corner Barclay Street, opp. Wools worth Building, will sell to day and Saturday 1,200 Men's Winter Overcoats and Suits, blacks, fancy grays, browns and dark mixed in plain or pinch backs; all sizes, 34 to 44. Our special price to day and Saturday, 35,95 and 36,95. Open Saturday 1,700 Men's Winter to be contained in the wides described in this smake, recoil entire to the same of the sam

WARSHIP SUFFREN GIVEN UP AS LOST WITH ALL ABOARD

24, Carrying 730 Officers and Men.

-Took Part in Dardanelles Bombardment Last Year.

Sheffield Farms Milk Co., at No. 2304 day to appear as a witness for Mag- fren, which left Gibraltar on Nov. 24. Broadway, gave to the Wicks' Legis. Istrate Joseph R. Corrigan in his has not been heard from since and Salonica Reports Heavy Rein- lative Committee to-day startling \$200,000 libel suit against Bobbs-Mer- the Minister of Marine considers the confirmation of the stories about jan- rill & Company, and George Bronson vessel lost with all on board -720 of-

Gerard, who is now in London. Pre- g.t-inch and eight t-inch guns, twen-

sent back to Toulon for repairs.

EGGS 35C., BUTTER 40C.; WHERE? EVANSVILLE, IND.

Cuts Cost of Living One-Third-Coal Cheaper.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 8. The nuicipal market established here by Mayor Bosse to fight the high cost of food did a rushing business to-day, Several New York Units Are at Lloyd's Sampling Agency. with prices from 25 per cent, to a third less than asked by retailers. The Mayor also sold coal cheaper than the oal dealers:

Prices at the municipal market to day were: Potatoes, \$1.65 a bushel; butter, 35 cents a pound, and eggs 40 ents a dozen.

Twenty dressed hogs will be pinced on sale to-morrow at 12 cents a pound. Rabbits have been selling at to cents each.

Big increase in Amount of Cotto Ginned in 1016. WAS HNGTON, Dec. 8,-Cotton gin

nes from the 1916 crop prior to Dec. nted to 10,359,346 bales, against 9.703,612 in 1915, the Census Bureau re-

Cotton Operatives in Maine to Get a Haine. noston, Dec. 5. Operatives

Ambulance Company No. 2, New searly all the cotton mills to Maine wil receive an increase in wages of 10 pervance was voted at a conference of miremouters and agents in this city yeserday. The Pepperill Manufacturing

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 8. An increase mpany employees in Tolesio. Elyria. and Elmira, N. Y., was announced Twenty one thousand men the wides declines very married in the wides declines with the wides declines with the wides declines and the wides declined to the same the wides of the wides declined to the wides declin

NEW BRITISH PREMIER AT FRONT WATCHING TROOPS GO INTO ACTION

FROM THE BORDER

Among Those Designated

by Gen. Funston.

carrying thus information said:

Dewey's Superior Port Wine, \$1 a Bottle,

nounced to-day

DATERON

LIBERALS AGREE TO SUPPORT **NEW REGIME IN WAR POLICY** ON THE ADVICE OF ASQUITH

Policy of Arming All Merchantmen Offered as Only Means of Protection Against U-Boats-U.S. Trade Would Be Diverted to Halifax.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE MAY SOLVE THE IRISH QUESTION

LONDON, Dec. 8 .- One of the first acts of Lloyd George as Prime Minister is expected to be a seizure of the entire commercial shipping of the nation and the placing of it under Government control.

The Liverpool Express declares Lloyd George, in his conference yesterday with Labor leaders, in which he promised them two Cabinet portfolios, and thus won their backing, is said to have added the promise of Government control of shipping in an effort to reduce the high cost

REPORTED SUNK tion from the U boats. In the agita-tion for sterner war measures that brought about the downfall of As-6,000 MORE TROOPS

ORDERED TO RETURN Norwegian Steamship Meleor, From Philadelphia to London, Also Reported Sunk.

> LONDON, Dec. 8.—The Anchor Line steamship Caledonia, or 5,223 tons gross, is believed to have been sunk, says an announcement made to-day Lloyds shipping agency aunounces

that the Belgian steamer Keizer and the Norwegian steamer Meteor have been reported sunk and their crews ianded. WASHINGTON, Dec. 5 - 83 The Norwegian steamship Caloric,

thousand National guardenes will be sent home from the border at on her voyage from the United States to Scandinavian ports, was once for muster out, it was anfired upon by a German submarine and two members of her crew were The War Department's statement killed, says a despatch from Copen-"In continuation of the general laugen to the Exchange Telegraph Company. The Calone escaped unpolicy of the Department to relieve National guard units as conditions damaged.

Renter's correspondent at Stavanpermit sox thousand guardenen will

New York Division Headquarters, gim Ministry of Commerce that in November nonetern Norwegian ves- LIBERALS SUPPORT LLOYD This includes Gen. O'Hyan and staff sels, with a total tonnage of \$2,993.

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quite the arming of merchantmen Was the leading factor. HALIFAX MAY BECOME THE CHIEF AMERICAN PORT.

If the American Government holds that the increased armsments put merchant ships in the class of war vessels, Halifax will become the chief American port for transatientic shipping, and none of the ailies' merchant vessels so armed will touch at New York or any other port of the United States. The American Government has held that merchantmen may carry no guns larger than six inches, and these guns must be mounted astern, so they can be used for defense

alone. The British feel these regulations give the merchantmen no chance against U boats and will hardly live up to them under Lloyd George, who is an advocate of more vigorous prosecution of the war. The British

navy can keep Halifax clear, The arming of these big ships will take some time, as many of the vessels ger, Norway, xaya the Norwegian will have to be materially strength-The assection of units were left to steamship Stettin, 112 tons gross, has ened to support the guas. Figures Gen. Funsion. He has designated been sunk by a German submarine. show that only one ship in five sunk the following organizations for this: A Router despatch from Christiania by submarines is armed, indicating says it is appealed by the Norwe- that the submarines are giving armed vessels a wide birth.

GEORGE ON ASQUITH'S ADVICE. York: Field Hospital No. 2, New York The sinking of the Greek steamship Asquith, the Liberal members of the On the advice of former Premier York: Field
York: Signal Battalian, New York,
One Bridge Headquarters, New York,
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"It's against the law to give these people money, is it not?"

A. I met her at the Thaw trial and "Y-yes," replied Mr. Evans, with a nervous start. "Ever since the war began we've been torpedoed and sub-dept in the divorce suit of Harry and some continuous continu

changes acryles between New York in resigning.

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